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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
TAKASHI NISHIOKA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: THORNTON, Y. C.
SERIAL NO: 09/883,258 :
FILED: JUNE 19, 2001 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1752
FOR: A POLYMERIC MATERIAL FOR LASER PROCESSING AND A
LAMINATED BODY FOR LASER PROCESSING THEREOF,
FLEXOGRAPHIC PRINTING PLATE AND THE METHOD OF PRODUCING
THE SAME, AND A SEAL MATERIAL

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated October 23, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendment appears on page 12 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this response.